

Vandergrift, Pa., went to sleep on bench in Union depot yesterday. Woke up minus his suit case and \$250 in currency.

William Gerhard Guttenberger, chauffeur, 3647 Indiana ave., arrested, charged with murder of Mrs. Edmund Kaufman, 655 Roscoe boulevard, Saturday night. Guttenberger, identified by the woman's husband, claims an alibi.

Inspector Dorman took the witness stand in the police investigation today, and denied all accusations made against him. He will be followed by Lieuts. Ambrose and Howard, also charged with neglect of duty. May Ward, West Side resort keeper, testified she left town because her life was threatened when she declared she would tell of paying protection money.

Rumored around city hall that Inspector John Wheeler, Capt. P. J. Harding, Lieuts. J. P. Enright, Daniel Kelleher and George T. Prim are to be confronted with charges of neglect of duty similar to those against Dorman, Ambrose and Howard.

Five men arrested for playing poker in rear room of saloon of John Swatak, 1126 Cornell street. Swatak booked as keeper.

Rev. M. P. Boynton, Lexington Avenue Baptist church, urged in sermon yesterday a ten-hour law for all cooks, whether in hotels or homes. Also for six-day week.

France has awarded John Wanamaker, the Philadelphia merchant, the decoration of the Legion of Honor. As yet no such

ghastly joke has been played on any of the local "merchant princes."

Last night's concert at Hull House by a section of the Thomas Orchestra was a success from every viewpoint. A similar performance will be given next Sunday evening. These concerts should help greatly in eradicating the public dance hall evil, which is one of the greatest menaces to girls and young men.

Bulletening the number of shopping days before Christmas is all wrong. Pay days are what count.

PEOPLE WIN GAS FIGHT

The people of Chicago won a victory for cheaper gas this afternoon when Judge C. C. Kohlsaat in the U. S. circuit court dissolved the injunction secured by the People's Gas Light and Coke Co., restraining the city from enforcing the ordinance making 75 cents the legal rate for one year, 70 cents for the next two years, and 68 cents for the next two years.

Attorneys for the gas company gave notice of appeal, and arguments will be heard next week.

The quashing of the restraining order puts the case back to Judge Scanlan's court. Judge Scanlan was about to give his opinion in the case when the federal injunction order was issued.

The rate for gas now is 80 cents a thousand feet under a ruling by Judge Gibson.